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Inventive Application of )  
Robert PHILLIPS et al. )  
Application No. 08/859,674 ) Group Art Unit: 2161  
Filed: May 18, 2001 )  
For: DYNAMIC PRICING SYSTEM )

RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents  
Attn: Box: Missing Parts  
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Dear Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of the Notice to File Missing Parts dated July 18, 2001, copy attached. Applicants hereby submit a substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR §1.52. Applicants further submit herewith a Declaration/Power of Attorney identifying the above-referenced application by serial number and filing date.

\$	710.00	Filing Fees
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	486.00	Claims in excess of 20
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Also enclosed is an Assignment for recordation which is being filed concurrently herewith under separate cover along with a check for \$40.00 for the prescribed recordation fee under 37 CFR §3.41.

Please charge any deficiencies and credit any overpayment to the Deposit Account No. 50-1359 of the undersigned. A duplicate copy of this request is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$646.
  - \$486 for 27 total claims over 20.
  - \$160 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1486.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
  - Papers contain improper margins. *Each sheet must have a left margin of at least 2.5 cm (1") and top, bottom and right margins of at least 2.0 cm (3/4")*

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